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BY COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

(SUCCESSOR TO HSB 650)

A BILL FOR

1 An Act relating to county levy authority for mental health and
2 disability services funding.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

1 Section 1. Section 331.424A, subsection 8, unnumbered
2 paragraph 1, Code 2016, is amended to read as follows:

3 Notwithstanding [subsection 6](#), for the fiscal years beginning
4 July 1, 2013, July 1, 2014, July 1, 2015, ~~and~~ July 1, 2016, and
5 July 1, 2017, county revenues from taxes levied by the county
6 and credited to the county services fund shall not exceed the
7 lower of the following amounts:

8 Sec. 2. Section 426B.3, subsection 1, Code 2016, is amended
9 to read as follows:

10 1. For the fiscal years beginning July 1, 2013, July 1,
11 2014, July 1, 2015, ~~and~~ July 1, 2016, and July 1, 2017, the
12 state and county funding for the mental health and disability
13 services administered or paid for by counties shall be provided
14 based on a statewide per capita expenditure target amount
15 computed in accordance with [this section](#) and [section 331.424A](#).

16 EXPLANATION

17 The inclusion of this explanation does not constitute agreement with
18 the explanation's substance by the members of the general assembly.

19 Under current law, for the fiscal period beginning July 1,
20 2013, and ending June 30, 2017, county revenues from property
21 taxes levied by the county and credited to a county mental
22 health and disabilities services fund shall not exceed the
23 lower of the amount of the county's base year expenditures for
24 mental health and disability services or the amount equal to
25 the product of the statewide per capita expenditure target
26 for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2013 (established in
27 Code section 462B.3, subsection 2), multiplied by the county's
28 general population for the same fiscal year. This bill amends
29 Code section 331.424A, relating to the county levy authority
30 for mental health and disabilities services (MD/DS) funding,
31 and Code section 426B.3, relating to per capita funding, to
32 extend these provisions by one year to FY 2017-2018.